

Everybody likes good Biscuits

And **Marigold** Flour makes the whitest, lightest, most delicately delicious biscuits you ever saw—they'll almost melt in your mouth.

Marigold Flour

is more than just a "biscuit" flour—it's good for all purposes—but we DO want you to try it for biscuits; we KNOW you'll like it.

A car just unloaded

Howell & Newton

GROCERS AND COFFEE ROASTERS.

The Right Hand of Business

A Success—Not an Experiment

THE OLIVER TYPEWRITER

The Standard Visible Writer

Learn about the New Model No. 5 and you'll readily realize why it is called "The Right Hand of Business". It is as essential to a business organization as a right hand is to man, and as versatile in its many functions. On display in Tyler Haswell's show window. Ask me to call and demonstrate the machine to you

Geo. A. Adams BRYAN TEXAS
PARKER BUILDING :: PHONE 265

Always Ready

With the Newest Seasonable Fabrics for

Men's Clothing

The old reliable John Wittman Tailor Shop can always be depended upon for quality, style, fit and promptness.

GIVE US YOUR ORDERS

John Wittman
Merchant Tailor

Royal Brand Clothes

FOR BOYS AND CHILDREN



Are in every respect the ideal garments for youngsters. We show the widest variety of designs in an unlimited range of materials and patterns. There is the "freshness of youth" about them that causes them to appeal to everyone, from the factory to the little fellows that wear them. When you see the label with the lion inside the circle with the words

"The Royal"

That's the line of Clothes to buy

ROYAL BRAND

WAGNER & BRANDON
BRYAN, TEXAS

HANGING OF LIBELERS.

Those Traducing Public Men Should Be Put to Death.

ANDREWS FAVORS THIS.

Pride, Idleness and Doubtful Methods of a Few Rich Persons Are No Just Causes For Placing All People Who Are Wealthy in the Pillory.

Washington, Oct. 17.—President E. Benjamin Andrews of University of Nebraska, in addressing the fall convocation of the George Washington university here, denounced what he termed malicious and wilful representation of the life of public men. Hanging, he said, should be the punishment meted out to a proved libeler.

"None of the business villains, alleged to be so rife, he continued, can compare in atrocity with the campaigns of libel and libelous caricatures which weeks or months have produced."

Dr. Andrews said he did not care for the rich as such, but that the pride, idleness and doubtful practices of a few rich men are not just cause for putting all rich men in the pillory. He contended that high prices of commodities were attributable to the tolerance of the public rather than to monopolistic tendencies.

GRITTY YOUNG MAN.

Despite Leg Being Broken Stops Runaway Horse.

Brady, Tex., Oct. 17.—Dick Marsden and another young man were driving up town from the railroad depot when their horses became frightened and ran away. Turning a corner while going at full speed, the buggy was overturned and both the young men thrown out. The other young man was unhurt, but Marsden's right leg was broken just below the ankle, both bones being broken. He did not turn loose the reins, but held to them until he had stopped the horse, walking on the stump of his broken leg fully thirty yards. The bones cut through the flesh and the wound filled with dirt, so that the doctors feared that amputation might be necessary. But now they think with the cool weather and careful attention it may be possible to save the foot.

Great German Failure.

Hamburg, Oct. 17.—Haller, Sohle & Co., bankers, have failed. Liabilities are estimated at from 12,000,000 to 30,000,000 marks—\$3,000,000 to \$7,500,000.

Beaumont Selected.

Gainesville, Tex., Oct. 17.—Next annual encampment of Odd Fellows will be held at Beaumont.

New Bubonic Plague Case.

Oran, Algiers, Oct. 17.—A new case of bubonic plague has been discovered here.

TAFT OPENS ASSEMBLY.

Secretary of War Reiterates His Former Statements.

OSMENA MADE PRESIDENT

All the Legislators Were Sworn Into Office and in the Obligation They Acknowledged the Sovereignty of the United States.

Manila, Oct. 17.—Secretary Taft formally opened the Philippine assembly in the National theater Wednesday in the presence of a large crowd.

In his opening address Mr. Taft reiterated his former statements regarding the Philippine islands, declaring that his views, announced two years ago, regarding the independence of the Philippine people were unchanged.

He did not believe they would be fitted to govern themselves for at least a generation, but he added that the matter was entirely in the hands of congress. The secretary denied emphatically that the United States had any intention of disposing of the islands, and he had absolute confidence in the Philippines; denied that he was disappointed at their ability to legislate conservatively, and asserted his belief that they felt their responsibility and acknowledged the necessity of supporting the American government. Mr. Taft refrained from making any suggestion regarding specific legislation on the part of the Philippine assembly, but he recommended that attention be paid to the civil service.

At the close of his address Mr. Taft formally called the assembly to order. A fervent prayer was then fervently read by the only native Catholic bishop in the island. The assembly then took a recess.

Upon reassembling, the first business was the selection of a president and Sergio Osmena, Nationalist, was chosen. Senor Osmena is a young man, and had no part in the revolution.

He is held in high esteem by the government and his own people. He was nominated by Manuel Quezon and seconded in an eloquent speech by Dominado Gomez.

All the assemblymen, including Senor Gomez, whose election is to be contested, were then formally sworn in. The oath included acknowledgment of the sovereignty and allegiance to the American government. The afternoon session lasted for three hours. The only business transacted was the selection of a secretary.

The delegates showed they had no understanding of parliamentary law and procedure. The principal feature of the session was an address by Senor Gomez, who declared against bringing politicians in the legislative business, and asked delegates to show their patriotism by forsaking party allegiance and legislating for the people.

The new assemblymen and the provincial governors were the guests of Governor General Smith at the grand ball Wednesday night.

Secretary Taft failed to satisfy some of the American residents of Manila regarding the policy of the American government. The general impression is that his speech was placative. He intimated that misbehavior would result in the abolishment of the assembly, but it is declared that this contingency is not expected. As Filipinos they express no opinion of Mr. Taft's speech one way or the other.

BOILER BLOWS UP.

Raymond Dyer and Robert Owens Victims of the Explosion.

Belton, Tex., Oct. 17.—Seized by a chill a young white man went into the boiler room of the oil mill to sit by the fire and met death a few minutes later. The boiler exploded, killing two, wrecking the boilers, the boiler room and the pipe connection with the engine room. All without a moment's warning. The dead:

Raymond Dyer, twenty-two, formerly of Jacksonville.

Robert Owens, the negro fireman at the mill.

Dyer's young wife and baby are at Merkel. Both bodies were shipped to Jacksonville.

Rocks and iron were piled on Owen when found, and he begged piteously to be extricated. Though badly mangled and scalded he lived several hours.

BUTCHERED WITH AX.

Terrible Double Murder Takes Place Near Franklin, La.

Morgan City, La., Oct. 17.—News reached here of a double murder near Franklin, St. Mary parish, when persons supposed to have been burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heifered, an old couple, and butchered them with an ax. There is no clue to the identity of the murderers.

COAL MINE DISASTER.

Unconfirmed Report Stated That Twenty Lives Had Been Lost.

Pittsburg, Oct. 17.—A rumor has reached here that an accident occurred Wednesday night in the coal mine at Ellsworth, Pa., about fifty miles east of Pittsburg. All efforts to confirm the rumors have failed. One unconfirmed report says that a score of men have been killed and large numbers killed by an explosion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

SEASON 1907-8

"THAT GOOD SHOW"

Percy R. Benton's

Magnificent Scenic Production

"A Cowboy's Girl"

At Story of the Plains

A Complete Original Cast--Carload Special Scenery.

NEW SONGS! NEW MUSIC!
LOTS OF FUN!

FRIDAY, OCT. 18

The Season for Wind Storms is Here Again
Protect Yourself Now. I carry

Fire, Plate Glass, Life, Sick Benefit Accident, and Live Stock Insurance

Only First Class Companies Represented. **W. A. WATKINS** GENERAL INSURANCE AGENT
Office over Gordon-Sewall Grocery Company.

CAN'T GET ALONG

WITHOUT A COMB

Very well unless you live in one of those institutions where the head is shaved.

We carry a fine line of Combs, solid rubber, best quality. Ask to see them whether you want to purchase or not.

E. J. Jenkins

ON AND AFTER NOVEMBER 1st
ALL LAUNDRY WORK OF THE BRYAN STEAM LAUNDRY

Will be Strictly Cash on delivery. Packages not paid for when first delivered will be held for charges and delivered promptly when called for.

GET COUPON BOOKS

at 5 per cent discount and be ready to pay for bundle on first delivery. Advance in salaries and the cost of laundry supplies make it necessary to place the business on a cash basis. We will also be able to supply our patrons with a better class of work, and invite the patronage and co-operation of one and all, with the assurance that the change will be of mutual benefit. Phone 1-1-1

an Steam Laundry W. O. HEARN
Proprietor

FRESH VEGETABLES

Are all gone. Our line of Telmo Canned Goods is far better than most fresh vegetables we have had this year.

Telmo Corn, 2 cans for	25c
Telmo Asparagus Tips, per can	30c
Telmo Asparagus, whole, per can	35c
Telmo Sweet Sifted Peas, 3 cans for	50c
Telmo Snap Beans, 3 cans for	50c
Telmo Lima Beans, 3 cans for	50c
Magnet Corn, 3 cans for	25c
Magnet Tomatoes, 3 cans for	25c
Holland Brand Peas, 2 cans for	25c
Holland Brand Beans, 2 cans for	25c

Shipment new crop Prunes just received. We will appreciate your orders.

WILL S. HIGGS

Use American Beauty Flour

One trial will Convinbe You that it is the Best. Fresh car just received

E. J. FOUNTAIN

The Quality Grocer

Phones 111 and 179

RESTORATION OF PENSION

Former Widow Makes Odd Plea In Divorce Suit.

Paris, Tex., Oct. 17.—A petition filed for divorce in the district court contains a novel plea for damages. The plaintiff alleges that at the time she married the defendant she was drawing a pension of \$8 per month from the United States government as the widow of a Federal soldier, and that under the pension law she has been deprived by her marriage of ever drawing the pension again.

She asks for damages in the sum of \$900, her age being sixty-one years, with the expectation of drawing the pension about ten years if she had not married.

FINKS ESTATE SUED.

United States District Attorney Atwell Has Instituted Action.

Dallas, Oct. 17.—Seven suits were filed in the United States district court against the estate and bondsmen of the late John M. Finks, who, for nearly thirty years, was Federal district court clerk, and for almost twenty years Federal circuit court clerk as well.

The suit is brought by the United States by its district attorney, William H. Atwell. It is not for any sum due the government, but the amount sought to be recovered is alleged to be made up of a large number of small items of costs and fees due to attorneys and litigants, collected from them in excess of the court costs and not repaid.

Of the suits three were filed in the district court, and involve \$2,691.88, and four were instituted in the circuit court, and the amount involved is \$28,675.04.

CLOWRY RE-ELECTED.

Western Union Telegraph Directors Retain Him In That Position.

New York, Oct. 17.—Colonel Robert C. Clowry was re-elected president of the Western Union Telegraph company. There have been rumors afloat recently to the effect that President Clowry was about to resign, but the action of the directors in re-electing him put at rest completely these reports.

George W. Atkins who, for a year past, has held the office of acting vice president, was elected a permanent vice president. Mr. Atkins has been in charge of the contract department for many years. All officers were re-elected.

One more member was added to the executive committee, General Thomas E. Hubbard being the new member chosen.

Sweethearts Quarrel; One Suicides.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 17.—Following a quarrel with his sweetheart, Noble Boatman, aged thirty years, swallowed a phial of carbolic acid, dying from the effects of the drug.

SIX MILLS SOLD.

Parties In Chicago Purchase Enterprises of Consumers' Oil Company.

Houston, Oct. 17.—The Consumers' Oil company, reported from Austin as having withdrawn from Texas, only nominally did so. Its six mills in Texas and Arkansas, three in each state, were sold to Louis C. Ehle of Chicago. The mills are located at Houston, Waco, Greenville, Tex.; Little Rock, Forest City and Pine Bluff, Ark.

John Bowles of Houston, the manager of the entire circuit, says the sale was made in Chicago. The price is unknown. The capacity of the mills is 120 tons each per day. The mills will continue in operation.

GUESTS' CLOSE CALL.

Delaware Hotel at Mineral Wells Is Destroyed by Flames.

Mineral Wells, Tex., Oct. 17.—The Delaware hotel, a three-story brick veneered building, was destroyed by fire. The guests were compelled to use fire escapes. The loss is \$60,000. The Louisiana House and Wann House were both damaged.

PROLIFIC FAMILY.

In Twenty-Five Years Seventeen Babies Are Born.

Ennis, Tex., Oct. 18.—G. C. McClain, a farmer of this vicinity, was in town purchasing supplies, and in conversation with a friend stated that he and his wife were married twenty-five years and have had born to them seventeen children, eleven boys and six girls. Fifteen are living, and of that number three are married. Mr. McClain is forty-seven years of age and his wife is forty.

Father of Thirty-Three Children.

McDade, Tex., Oct. 18.—J. B. Desmuke of this city is the father of thirty-three children. He has been married three times.

Fined For Pistol Carrying.

Wichita Falls, Tex., Oct. 17.—Walker Hargreaves, late of Bowie, but now a resident of Fort Worth, was convicted in the county court here on a charge of carrying a pistol, and was fined \$100 and costs. The case occupied the greater part of three days, and was the hardest fought contest of its kind ever known here.

Lowers Auto Record.

Birmingham, Oct. 17.—Christie Strang, a nephew of Walter Christie, lowered the world's automobile record for a circular track here by covering the distance in 51.35. The previous record was held by the elder Christie, who went in fifty-two seconds at Minneapolis Sept. 10. The setting of the new record was the feature of the closing day of the Alabama State fair.

Advanced One Cent.

Cincinnati, Oct. 17.—Wholesale price of spirits Wednesday advanced 1 cent.

New York Egg Receipts.

New York, Oct. 17.—Egg receipts Wednesday were 6,690 cases.

LIVELY INTEREST IN CONTEST

Pupils and Friends of the Teachers are Talking, and Votes are Beginning to Come In

SECOND PRIZE ADDED BY THE CLANSMAN

The Contest will Close Promptly at 6 O'clock p. m., Tuesday, October 22---No Time to Lose

HOW THE VOTE STANDS.

Miss Cordia Fletcher.....	100
Miss Annie Dearing.....	73
Miss Ada Board.....	60
Miss Weddington.....	56

In advance of the opening of "The Clansman" ticket sale at Haswell's, the friends of the teachers are beginning to get busy and the votes in the Teacher's Contest are coming in. The pupils have been saving the coupons, and friends have been laying them up to vote also. Miss Cordia Fletcher leads in the first count, Miss Annie Dearing is second, and Miss Ada Board and Miss Weddington are next in the order named.

There may be other candidates by the next count, and the positions of the leaders may be reversed. Clip the coupons, vote them

for your favorite and bring or mail them to the Eagle. Help to keep your favorite right alongside the leaders, and then your final effort is likely to effect something.

Get all your friends to voting too. Let them see you are working to confer an honor and pleasure on your favorite teacher, and they will gladly help you.

The first prize in the contest is six reserved seats at the performance of The Clansman Thursday evening, Oct. 24. The first prize has been secured by the Eagle from the management, and the six seats have been set aside. The second prize, two seats to be given to the teacher receiving the second largest number of votes, has been added by the management of The Clansman.

J. D. GANTER,

Practical Watchmaker, Jeweler and Optician

All work fully guaranteed

Dunn & Daly block, with Holmes & Pa

N. JAMETTA

First Class Boot and Shoe REPAIRING

All work neatly done and satisfaction guaranteed. Look for the Red Boot sign. Next

James & Nunn. BRYAN, TEXAS

Buggies

We have Six Cars of Buggies of the following makes on our floors:

Studebaker Bros.
Columbus Buggy Co.
Connersville Buggy Co.
Moore Bros. Carriage Co.
Wilson Moline Carriage Co.

Which are our finest makes.

Then we have for our Medium Grade:

Rex Buggy Co.
Tebbetts Carriage Co.
American Carriage Co.
James & Myers patent dust proof axle.
W. O. Brown, Dallas, Texas made buggies.
Russel E. Gardner's best cheap buggy on earth.

We have the goods and the prices and if you will come to see us we can give you your choice

BUCHANAN-MOORE COMPANY



Some Men's Clothes look as if their maker hated their wearer. What's the sense of such work? It is rank injustice to good citizens. We have a good thing for you: Stein-Block Smart Clothes. They are the best in America. They will fit with a new style that you have never met before. Their workmanship is the careful attention of 53 years of clothes knowledge.

WEBB BROS

Proper Clothes for Men

Groceries & Groceries

WE handle only the best goods in our line and keep our stock fresh and clean all the time. When you buy Groceries from us you may be sure that nothing but good food goes on your table. While we carry everything in the Grocery line, as this is the season for picnics and summer outings, we call your special attention to our Lunch Goods: Canned Meats of all kinds, Sardines in several styles, Salmon and other Fish, Fancy Canned Fruits, Fresh Cakes and Wafers in assorted styles and flavors. Pickles and sauces to suit every taste. We can fix you up for a nice Lunch or Supper on short notice.

Phones 78 and 54

Jno. M. Lawrence & Co

"Maximum Quality - Minimum Price" In Buying and Selling Drugs

QUALITY is our first consideration, price second. We never sacrifice Quality to Price. In filling physician's prescriptions we use **Merck's Chemicals** (recognized by every druggist and physician as the safest and best.) Our line of pharmaceuticals and medicinal drugs are assuaged and standardized strength, insuring correct and reliable medicinal results. See that your medicine bottle or package bears our label.

EMMEL & MALONEY

DRUGGISTS

Young Men's Suits

Fall Designs and Exclusive Patterns



The young man who is really looking for smart clothes—something different from the ordinary products will find in our distinctive collection of

Correct Clothes for Gentlemen

a style and pattern sure to strike his fancy.

There are three-button Sack Suits in single or double-breasted styles for street or dress wear that are wonderfully smart and fashionable. These are mostly with form-fitting backs and come in all the latest shades and fabrics.

Just the styles smartly dressed college men are wearing this Fall, at prices ranging from

\$15. to \$35.

AGNER & BRANDON

HEADQUARTERS FOR STYLE AND VALUE

BERWICK Oysters

Our Oyster Parlor and are serving the Bay Oysters in any style. Parlor open p. m. Please give us a call. We guarantee with first-class service. the Famous Berwick Bay Oysters in bulk.

PHONE 84

es & Parker

Complete Line..

Carbon Paper
Rewriter Paper and
Bonds

HOMI's Book Store

Life Insurance CO. of Dallas, Tex.

A Pa

FRIEND-IN-NEED SOCIETY.

STEVENSON MACHINE and REPAIR WORKS

Manufacturing and Repairing

OFFICE AND WORKS
IN NORTHERN PART OF TOWN

Phone 7 BRYAN, TEXAS

W. C. FOUNTAIN

DENTIST

Office Upstairs, Over Smith Drug Company

Dr. R. H. Harrison

Office at Emmel & Maloney's Drug Store
BRYAN, TEXAS

Calls promptly answered day or night
Office hours 9 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m.
Office phone 66 Res. phone 313

TEACHERS' CLANSMAN CONTEST.

The voting contest for the six reserved seats for the performance of "The Clansman," to be given to the lady school teacher receiving the largest number of votes, has opened in a most gratifying manner.

The scholars are already beginning to take a lively interest in the contest. Everybody, young or old, rich or poor, is entitled to one or one thousand votes, the only provision being that the voting shall be done on the voting coupons printed daily in this newspaper. There are several hundred school children and supporters of the public schools in this city.

PRIZE CONTEST--VOTING COUPON

I cast my vote for

in the Teachers' Contest for the performance of
"The Clansman" on Thursday, October 24 at
the Grand Opera House.

every one of whom should cast at least one vote for the teacher of their choice.

The plan of the contest is very simple. The Eagle will afford the opportunity to one teacher and her friends to witness that great play of the South, "The Clansman," at the opera house on Oct. 24. We have accordingly secured six reserved seats for this performance, and will present them with our compliments to the teacher receiving the largest number of votes.

The successful teacher will be the owner of the seats for the evening and may invite any of her friends whom she desires to share them with her.

Why send your money away from home for sewing machines when you can buy the best—the Singer—direct from maker in your own town at as low prices and better terms. T. A. Satterwhite, Agent, Bryan, Texas.

BUYS STRIKE-OUT.

Speedy Colt Is Purchased For Large Sum by Herman Duryea.

New York, Oct. 15.—Herman Duryea, the wealthy sportsman, has paid \$15,000 for the yearling colt, Strike-Out, by Griffon-Pellard, as a result of a fast trial of the horse at the Sheepshead Bay track last Saturday. The horse went a quarter in 22 2-5 seconds, and several horsemen who saw the trial among them, Mr. Duryea, asked for a price on the colt. Mr. Duryea secured the prize.

The colt was purchased by Fred Burlew in the yearling sales of the summer for \$700 and gives every promise of being one of the big prizes of the lottery of yearling sales. His sire, Griffon, has hitherto not attained much prominence in the stud, but he was a good winner in England.

LIGHTFOOT RETURNS.

All Subsidiary Concerns of Standard Company to Be Driven Out.

Austin, Oct. 15.—Assistant Attorney General Lightfoot returned from St. Louis and New York. While at St. Louis he attended the meeting of attorneys general and urged uniform anti-trust legislation in all states. A committee was appointed to look after this. He accompanied Attorney General Davidson to New York, where they conferred with Mr. Kellogg, who is probing into the affairs of the Standard Oil company for the government. It is understood that some valuable information was obtained concerning the Standard's operations in Texas, and some big anti-trust suits may follow. The programme, he says, is to drive from Texas every subsidiary concern of the Standard.

Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and purge of this deplorable disease. In Germany with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Snoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made. A perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, I can cure all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. Those sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

Dr. Snoop's
Rheumatic Remedy
M. H. JAMES.

EIGHTEEN YEARS INSURANCE EXPERIENCE

Is at the service of those placing their business with me. I also have the oldest agency in the city and represent a line of insured companies. I solicit your patronage for FIRE, ACCIDENT, HEALTH, PLATE GLASS and BOILER INSURANCE. Careful and prompt attention to all business intrusted.
Office Phone 250 J.F. MITCHELL
Residence Phone 213

Nice Juicy Steaks and Roasts

Are the basis of a good meal and make it worth while to put one's feet under the table. We have them as well as everything else that's good in the Meat Market line.

We Invite Your Patronage

With the assurance that for quality of meats, courteous and prompt service all the year round we are unexcelled. Phone 282

H GGS & HAYGOOD

Better Than Ever!



That is the verdict of those who have been buying our Meats and market products for years past. We are selling over the counter at our two markets

THE BEST MEATS

that can be obtained from selected cattle. We have everything seasonable and the largest Refrigerator accommodations.

UPPER MARKET PHONE 30
LOWER MARKET PHONE 326

S. H. FRANKLIN

PARTICULAR WOMEN

Find all those dainty necessities of refined toilet in infinite variety at our drug store. Buy your toilet articles and sundries from us and you will get the best goods, best treatment and the best prices.

Remember You Get a Square Deal Every Time

CAVITT'S DRUG STORE

GRAIN

GET OUR PRICES
ON ..

GRAIN, FEED STUFF & HAY

PHONE 376

WILSON GRAIN CO.

TO THE LUMBER TRADE

We have a large stock of Lumber on hand and are offering it to you at the following prices:

All Common Lumber, per thousand	\$20.00
Beaded Ceiling, per thousand	25.00
Weather-boarding, per thousand	25.00
No. 1 Flooring, per thousand	27.50
Sash, Doors, Brick, Lime and all building material at proportionally low prices.	

We Want Your Trade in Lumber and Solicit Your Patronage for Cotton Ginning.

S.H. DUNLAP & CO

Grand Opera House, Bryan, Thursday, Oct. 24.

The Clansman's Farewell Tour

Last Chance to See this Wonderful Play Until 1911

AT the conclusion of this season The Clansman will start on a European and Australian Tour to last Three Years.

THE CLANSMAN

By THOMAS DIXON, Jr.

Direction of GEORGE H. BRENNAN.

TWO Companies solidated into for this Extraordinary Pageant of the Popular Drama in America.



The Most Notable Cast and Production yet Presented---Seventy-Five People on the Stage---Troop of Cavalry Horses---New Electrical Effects.

Prices, Lower Floor, \$1.50. Balcony, \$1.00. Seats, on sale Friday, Oct 18, at Haswell's Book Store.

The Daily Eagle

Entered at the Postoffice in Bryan, Texas, as second class matter.

BY CARNES & WALLACE

BRYAN, TEXAS, OCT 18, 1907

That Philippine legislative assembly is a sort of school in law making.

General Linevitch wants to present Siberia to the Americans. No, thank you.

Bed bugs in a house are not a legal ground for breaking a lease, according to a recent court decision.

Chairman Knapp of the interstate commerce commission says a rebater is worse than a chicken thief.

In the meeting of Illinois Central stockholders Wednesday Fish was applauded while Harriman got the icy stare.

Mexico's revenues have more than doubled in the last ten years. This is a gauge of the development of that country.

Texas lemons—the real fruit—are of generous size, but all attempts to acclimate the metaphysical kind have proven failures.

The Bryan Eagle has purchased a linotype and is enabled to get out one of the best papers Brazos county ever had.—Houston Chronicle.

The International Aeronautic association will be up in the air at St. Louis next week. There are a number of prize races on the program.

Several years ago Thomas B. Reed, ex-speaker of the house, de-

scribed Roosevelt as "the statesman who discovered the ten commandments."

Jerome K. Jerome says the Carnegie libraries, have to a great extent, put the writers of books out of business. It is cheaper to get books out of the libraries than to buy them.

All who have had, have or shall have dengue, a large majority of the people of Texas, instead of censuring, heartily thank Dr. Brumby for trying to keep it out of the state.

Several years ago a Texas man said bad cooks sent more men to hell than any other agency, and now a Vermont professor attributes ninety per cent. of crime to the ignorance or carelessness of cooks. Let's boost the cooking schools.

THE REAL REASON.

The Railway Age in a discussion of the railroad situation in Texas, after quoting figures to show that the banks of this State have \$100,000,000 loaned at 6 per cent in commercial centers, and the statement of Commissioner Colquitt that the roads now operating "are earning from 10 to 25 per cent on what it would cost to reproduce them," asks why Texas people do not build their own railroads? It then answers the question by attributing the unwillingness of banks to invest their depositors' money in railroad building to anti-corporation legislation.

The premises of the Age are true, but the conclusion is a non-sequitur. Neither the people of Texas nor the State government are, or ever have been hostile to corporations per se. They appreciate as fully as any other people the necessity of a combination of forces to accomplish any great object. This is proven by the existence in the State of many enterprises financed entirely or mainly

by home capital. And they would be as far as any people on earth from adopting a system that would place obstacles in the way of combinations for a legitimate purpose conducted. Even some of the railroads now operating in the State have been financed largely by local capital, though the former owners of that capital have little, and in most cases nothing, to show for it.

And this is the reason why Texans who have money are unwilling to invest it in railroad building, or if they do to expect any return except what they receive in common with others through the increase in value of their other holdings. It is a lesson they have learned by experience. Can the Railway Age or any of those who are so persistently and vehemently denouncing this state for alleged hostility to corporations mention a single railroad in Texas or elsewhere in the South or West that was built by local capital and that has not been wrecked by some one of the great Eastern corporations or a combination of them? The people of Texas are not only as public spirited and enterprising, but are as quick to see the main chance as any other people, but they are not fools.

For Sale.

My pasture one mile southwest of Bryan containing 355 acres; all under fence; 200 acres clear; balance in timber; two houses and several sheds for cattle, also wind mill and galvanized cistern. A most desirable place for a dairy or for raising cattle and hogs. Will sell on easy terms. Apply to J. W. English. Oct. 23

NOTICE HUNTERS.

All parties are hereby warned against hunting on any lands owned by the following signed parties. Any parties violating above rules will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Jake Luza, Vincent Luza.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

One light fawn Jersey cow with one straight horn and one drooped horn. Very fat. Liberal reward for return to W. E. Johnson. 256tf

LADY'S NECK BROKEN.

Three Other Fatalities Attend Automobile Accident.

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 15.—As a result of a grade crossing automobile accident on the Philadelphia and Reading railway at Klem street here, four persons were killed and one probably fatally injured. The automobile, which was run down on the crossing by a Pottsville express, contained a party of five persons from Kimberton, Chester county. The dead are: Jacob Reese, Mrs. Anthony W. Emery, Jr., Bella Emery, aged one year, child of Mrs. Emery.

Anthony W. Emery, owner and driver of the automobile, was the only one of the party to escape death, but his thigh was broken and he received injuries in the accident. The party were on their way home from a shopping tour in this city when the accident occurred.

A hedge and a clump of trees together with a couple of buildings partly obscured the crossing and it is probable Mr. Emery did not know a train was due, for he drove the machine directly on the track in front of the express.

The automobile was broken into bits and the members of the party were hurled out of the machine. Mr. Reese and Mrs. Emery were instantly killed. Mrs. Reese's neck was broken and she died on the train while being brought into the city. The child died shortly after.

IN HIGH SPIRITS.

President and Party Once More Start After Bear.

Stambool, La., Oct. 15.—No person reached this point from the president's new camp on Bear lake Monday except a party that started from there early in the morning. The party who came in consisted of Secretary Latta, Messrs. Parker, Shields and W. W. Mangum, the last named a friend from Mississippi with whom the president became acquainted at Smeeds and who was invited to the camp. They brought only the report that the president and his remaining companions had made an early start and that they were in high spirits and very hopeful of better fortune than has yet attended the hunt. Several members of the party have seen bears at the lake and bear tracks are reported to be numerous. Two timber wolves passed within plain sight of the camp and so excellent is the outlook that the president has decided definitely to remain at the present location and not to go to Texas as was planned last week. Sunday in and around the camp the president exercised by the president was a walk along Bear lake and a row on

the water in company with the president's gum. No member of the party made any attempt at hunting.

Lilley, the president's favorite hunter is so religiously inclined that he would not break the Sabbath to go in search of a hunter's knife he had lost on Saturday, but waited until Monday morning, when he went out before daybreak and soon returned with the weapon.

The weather remains perfect for hunting. There was a slight skim of ice on the water Monday morning. The president will come into Stambool next Sunday, starting on Monday on his return to Washington.

"HANG HIM!"

This Exclamation, Following Tragedy, Caused Great Excitement.

Chickasha, I. T., Oct. 15.—Great excitement prevailed in the city over the report that a man had been murdered in his room at the New State rooming house. H. H. Williams, a Rock Island brakeman, was entertaining William Ballast in the former's room and, according to the prisoner, they both were drinking. Ballast had been put off the train the night before by Williams and the quarrel was resumed. Williams was slashed across the chest and abdomen, fatally. Ballast, who ran down the back way, was arrested and started to the jail. As he passed near the rooming house, which is adjacent to the railroad shops and yards, someone cried, "Hang him." A rapid run was made through the streets to the Federal jail, a large crowd following. Williams was a single man and had recently come here from Pennsylvania. Ballast was married and his wife cooked for the boarding house at the brick plant, two miles south of the city.

SON SEES SIRE.

For First Time Young Man and Father Gaze Upon Each Other.

Forney, I. T., Oct. 15.—William Duty of Paragould, Ark., a young man twenty-nine years old, is visiting his father, W. M. Duty, at Forney, I. T., whom he had never seen before. His mother and father were married in Arkansas and lived together only a few months, when he went to the Territory and she remained in Arkansas. The child was born later and the first time he saw his father was last week.

Few men have received such an ovation in this city as that accorded to Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, "the Hero of the Merrimac," and now a Congressman from Alabama, Sunday afternoon, when he was presented to 4,143 men, who greeted him with cheers and hand claps and waving flags and handkerchiefs.—Ex. 269

Try This much work? Look as if their wearer. izens. We Block Smart in America. That you have. kmanship is of clothes

ROS

Men

Groceries

Weak Kidneys

Weak Kidneys, surely point to weak kidney Nerves. The Kidneys, like the Heart, and the Stomach, find their weakness, not in the organ itself, but in the nerves that control and guide and strengthen them. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is a medicine specifically prepared to reach these controlling nerves. To doctor the Kidneys alone, is futile. It is a waste of time, and of money as well. If your back aches or is weak, if the urine is dark, or is dark and strong, if you have symptoms of Bright's or other distressing or dangerous kidney disease, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative a mouth-Tablets or Liquid—and see what it can and will do for you. Druggist recommend and sell

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

M. H. JAMES.

AT MY OLD TRICKS

Keeping What the People Want

Fresh Tomatoes, Fresh Celery, Sweet Peppers, Snap Beans, Yam Potatoes

Grapes Apples Bananas Oranges
NEW PECANS

HALL'S

THE GROCER
PHONES 22 and 114

PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE

No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p. m.
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a. m.
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p. m.
No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a. m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE

No. 102 North bound.....10:50 a. m.
No. 101 South bound.....4:55 p. m.

Walter Wilcox was in the city yesterday.

Ed Crenshaw visited Hearne yesterday.

Frank Webb went to Galveston yesterday.

Try Cavitt's Cough Syrup; 25cts a bottle. 273

Mrs. Lem B. Hall is visiting relatives in Waco.

House for rent—Apply to Mrs. C. M. Proctor. 266tf

For Sale—Jersey cow fresh in milk. J. N. Cole. 269

C. L. Eden of Coleview was in the city yesterday.

J. T. Closs, of Edge, was in the city yesterday.

G. W. Brogdon left yesterday to visit Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bullock are both reported ill.

Cavitt's Face Cream is good for chapped faces; 25cts. 273

Eugene C. Blake of Houston was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Laura Koppe returned from Houston yesterday.

M. S. Freeman, of Harvey, was in the city yesterday.

Capt. D. D. Dawson has been very ill the past few days.

R. L. Brogdon has been on the sick list the past few days.

Judge Scott Field was a visitor from Calvert yesterday.

Capt. Bob Adams of Mumford was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Crenan, of Hearne, is visiting at Villa Maria Academy.

Mrs. S. H. Hickman returned yesterday after a visit in Waco.

THE DALLAS FAIR.

Opens Next Saturday at 9 A. M.—Biggest and Best Ever Held.

On Saturday, October 19th, the gates of the Texas State Fair at Dallas will swing inward. Governor Campbell will deliver an address in the auditorium at 10 a. m., then touch a button and the vast machinery of this great Texas enterprise will be in motion for sixteen days to come.

This will be the twenty-second annual fair, exposition, and race meet, and all indications point to a record-breaking meeting. There will be 2000 head of exhibition horses, jacks, jennets, cattle, sheep and hogs in the live stock department, over 4000 prize chickens in the poultry display, six acres of implement and vehicle exhibits, a magnificent show covering the products of the farms, orchards and gardens of Texas, a superb art exhibit of pictures by foreign and native artists and in the ladies' textile division the best showing ever made by the women of Texas. One thousand race horses, harness and runners, will compete for the prize offerings, and the best turf sport ever witnessed in Texas is promised. Four famous bands will furnish the music this year, and, it is declared, the musical and amusement attractions are the best that money could obtain for the hundreds of thousands of patrons of the fair.

BIG ATTENDANCE ASSURED.

Railroads declare that there never has been such a demand for tickets to Dallas; that people are coming in thousands from every section of the state, Oklahoma and Indian Territories, Louisiana, Arkansas and Missouri, and that the attendance at the fair this year will be the greatest in the history of the association. Judging by the bookings for rooms at the several hotels, Dallas will be crowded as seldom before, and probably never for so long a time.

RACING OSTRICHES A FEATURE.

W. M. Ford's racing ostriches, Osceola and Fleetwing, will present the novel features of birds racing harnessed to sulkeys or saddled and bridled like a thoroughbred. Mr. Ford will bring ten of these magnificent birds from his farm at Tampa, Florida, and display them at the fair. The exhibition is unique and very rare, and promises to be exceedingly interesting to all. As there will be no racing on the Sundays during the fair, speed contests will be held on the race tracks between these ostriches, and as they are very swift of foot, will, Mr. Ford believes, break some of the greatest records made on the Dallas track by race horses of national repute.

Another feature was secured by the fair management for Amusement Park. It is "Creation," one of the sensations of the St. Louis World's Fair. Many Texas visitors to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition will remember this attraction.

W. W. CUNNINGHAM DEAD

Mr. W. W. Cunningham, better known as Billie Cunningham, died Wednesday night at the home of his father near Smerana. He reached his 50th birthday last Sunday, and one year ago on Oct. 16 was injured by an accident while at work with a bridge gang in Milam county. He never recovered and the Eagle learns his death resulted from the accident. Mr. Cunningham is survived by his father and three brothers, and also leaves three children, two sons, 10 and 14 years old, and a daughter 17. He formerly lived in this city, and many friends deeply regret his death and the long period of suffering he experienced. His remains were laid to rest in the city cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

COMING HOME.

Mr. J. W. Payne, the popular optician of this city, who is in Chicago taking a post-graduate course, writes the Eagle that he will return to Bryan and again take charge of Dr. Jno. M. Caldwell's optical department on or about Nov. 1. Mr. Payne will be able to serve the public in a thoroughly competent manner, giving a scientific test and correctly fitting glasses.

RALLY DAY EXERCISES.

Rally Day exercises will be held by the Methodist Sunday School next Sunday and special missionary collection taken. The Sunday School will meet at the usual hour and go through the lesson and other exercises, and the rally will follow in lieu of the usual 11 o'clock preaching service. A special program is being prepared for the Rally and all are not only invited but urged to attend.

T. W. HOUSE & CO. FAIL.

Authentic information was received here last night of the failure of the big banking house of T. W. House & Co. of Houston yesterday afternoon for three quarters of a million dollars. Inability to meet obligations is assigned as the cause. It is thought that the institution may be able to pull through. W. B. Chew, W. D. Cleveland and Joe Rice were made receivers. Much excitement was caused by the financial disaster.

Varsity has notified the A. and M. that they cannot arrange for the game at Houston Nov. 6, so the friends of the respective teams will have to wait until Thanksgiving to see the next contest between them.

J. A. Carson was in the city yesterday circulating a subscription list to raise funds towards the erection of a Free Baptist church building at Union Hill, where a church was recently organized by Rev. S. T. Thomas of Grimes county.

RIVERS RACING TORRENTS.

Worst Reports of Flood Destruction Have Been Vouchered For.

Paris, Oct. 17.—Disasters from the center and south of France Thursday confirmed the worst reports of destruction caused by floods. Rivers Loire, Rhone and Seine and tributaries are racing torrents. In some places they are higher than ever known before. In hundreds of cities and towns there are from two to ten feet of water in the streets. Great distress has resulted. Railroad traffic is utterly disrupted. At places roadbeds have been washed away and stations are under water. Fortunately the storm center has moved seaward. The weather is clearing and the worst appears to be over.

The Authoritative Styles In Mens Suits for Autumn



Copyright 1907 by Hart Schaffner & Marx

Are to be seen here in such great variety that every taste can be gratified. Here you can see, not only all of the advanced styles and patterns of exclusive weave, but tailoring and finish that must convince you that

Hart Schaffner & Marx
FINE CLOTHING

Is undoubtedly the highest grade clothing obtainable at our moderate prices.

The Varsity Sack

Here is one of the new models. Isn't it smart looking? Your size will fit you perfectly. In all the new suitings; Browns, Grays and Blues, hand tailored throughout.

\$15.00 to \$25.00

CORRECT CLOTHES FOR MEN
Parks & Waldrop

ANOTHER SHOCK.

This One of Much Less Violence Than That of Wednesday.

Washington, Oct. 17.—Another earthquake shock of much less violence than that of Wednesday was recorded at the weather bureau Thursday. It occurred shortly after 6 o'clock.

Oklahoma Photographers.

Oklahoma City, Oct. 17.—One hundred and fifty photographers of the new state met here to attend the eighth annual session of the Oklahoma and Indian Territory Photographers' association. Addresses were delivered by J. C. West of New York, Al Dunlap of Dallas and J. S. Hutcheson of St. Louis.

Five Given Employment.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—Superintendent Miller of the Western Union Telegraph company reports seven of the striking telegraphers applied for their old positions. Five were given employment.

"Everything the best," is the motto at S. W. Buchanan's meat market. New fixtures throughout and only the best meats sold. Call and see our roomy, airy and well equipped quarters on Bryan street in front of Buchanan-Moore Co. Phone 263.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will give a Bazaar at the city hall opening Thursday, Oct. 24, at 2 p. m., and continuing until Friday, Oct. 25. Cakes and candy will be on sale and oysters served in any style. 273

Dr. W. H. Lawrence
.. DENTIST..

OVER HASWELL'S BOOK STORE

The Willis House

MRS. W. F. MILLER PROP'R
Best dollar a day hotel in Brya

HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS

A Pattern free this month for the asking. November fashion sheets ready. With each fashion sheet you will receive a special pattern free this month.

LADIES BE SURE
AND CALL

Wayne Knit Hose

An Ironclad Guarantee With Every Pair

LADIES THE WAYNE Knit Stocking will end your troubles in the hosiery line. We guarantee them absolutely fast color and to wear. If you find you have purchased a faulty pair we will replace them without cost to you.

OUR FALL STYLES ARE NOW READY AND WE OFFER YOU

Unquestionably the best hose in America for 25, 35 and 50 cents per pair, in plain gauze lisle and embroidered lisle effects.

Try The Wayne Pony Stockings for Your Boys and Girls Double Re-enforced Heels and Toes, 15 and 25cts. per pair

WILSON & DERDEN
PHONE 129

NEW FIXINGS For the Fadish Woman

Latest creations in Pretty Silk and Elastic belts, handsome Hand Bags, Hat Pins, Veil Pins, Bonnets, Fancy Ribbons, Etc., at prices

MOST REASONABLE

FISH FURIOUS.

He and Peabody Have an Interesting Tilt.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Probably the most interesting incident of Wednesday's meeting at the Illinois Central railroad directors, which preceded the annual meeting of the stockholders, was the tilt between Charles A. Peabody, president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, and Stuyvesant Fish. Mr. Peabody is regarded as one of the most dignified men in New York.

Dispute arose as to certain action at a previous meeting. Mr. Fish made the statement of his position in the matter and Mr. Peabody declared Mr. Fish had not voted the way he was then voting upon the subject. One word led to another and Mr. Peabody all but passed the lie to Mr. Fish. He stated what Mr. Fish said was far from the truth. Mr. Fish arose and shouted at his opponent: "Mr. Peabody, you cannot talk to me like that, nor is there a man living with inches enough to tell me that I don't tell the truth!" In his excitement Mr. Fish moved toward Mr. Peabody, but made no further hostile demonstration. Turning to the directors he declared it was their evident intention to delay matters beyond a reasonable limit, and as he had more urgent business he would leave for his hotel. As Mr. Fish was passing from the room Mr. Peabody arose and called him. The life insurance man started to say he was sorry for what he had said and undoubtedly in the heat of argument he overstepped the bounds of gentlemanly conduct.

Mr. Fish was striding from the room with face aflame, and did not hear Mr. Peabody. Some member of the board who was near him said, "Mr. Fish, Mr. Peabody is apologizing. He is sorry for what he said." Fish did not check the speed of his exit, but shouted: "I have not the slightest interest in what Mr. Peabody is sorry for, or sorry for, and he can go to blazes! Good day, gentlemen."

When this crisp sentence fell upon Mr. Peabody's ears that gentleman collapsed in his chair and almost lost the superb dignity which so admirably fits him. "Oh, my!" he gasped. "Gentlemen, I assure you I regret it."

Mr. Harriman, who had been watching the proceedings with interest and some amusement, said: "Oh, never mind him, Mr. Peabody. Let him go and we can get down to business."

Before this session of the directors was held Mr. Fish began a still hunt after proxies for the 4,000 shares of stock which had been given him for life during the period when he was president of the road. W. F. Bruen, assistant secretary, with whom Mr. Fish left, stated he did not have them, but President Harahan did. Mr. Fish strode into the president's office, but found him out. "Who represents the president?" he demanded. L. C. Fritsch, President Harahan's assistant, was summoned and Fish demanded the proxies.

"I don't think I can give them to you without consulting the president," declared Mr. Fritsch.

"Consult old Harry!" retorted Mr. Fish. "Those proxies are my personal property, and I demand them. Are you going to give them to me?"

"I don't think I can do so, Mr. Fish," said the assistant, and Mr. Fish left the office shaking a finger at Fritsch and declaring he would have them. Later he went into the directors' meeting and demanded from the board possession of the proxies. The question led to a fierce debate and Fish declared he would have them if he had to arrest every member of the Illinois Central board to get them. The board decided, although they would not give them up to Mr. Fish, to instruct the proxy committee to credit them to him. Mr. Fish later went into the room where the proxy board meeting was held and ascertained the stock had been credited to his column.

Get Money, Watch and Lunch.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Oct. 17.—After securing \$25 in cash and a valuable gold watch, robbers who entered the home of John Keeper, went to the dining room and lunched before they left.

Nineteen Indictments.

Kansas City, Oct. 17.—Grand jury in the criminal court returned nineteen indictments against managers of Kansas City theaters for keeping their places of amusement open on Sunday.

Breaks World's Record.

Louisville, Oct. 17.—A special from Lexington says H. K. Devereaux broke the world's record to saddle for stallions with Kruger, he going a mile in 2:12 flat. The time by quarters was 35, 1:07, 1:39, 2:17.

BREVITIES BUNCHED.

A. H. Cooper had his left arm cut off in a gin at Mesquite, Tex.

European cotton spinners were elaborately entertained at Memphis.

Plumbers at Chickasha, I. T., are on strike for 25 per cent wage advance.

On a Dallas street car a purse containing \$20 was snatched from Mrs. A. W. Gardner.

By the explosion of a gasoline stove Miss Lizzie Gerlach of Guthrie was seriously burned.

International Medical congress, in session at Paris, recommends that in public institutions milk be boiled.

Benny Owens, football coach of the University of Oklahoma, was accidentally shot near Norman while hunting.

The little child of Joe Madenka of Shiner, Tex., had its head caught between banisters and choked to death.

Ed and Sid Westfall pleaded guilty at San Antonio to charges of cattle theft and burglary in five cases. Each got two years.

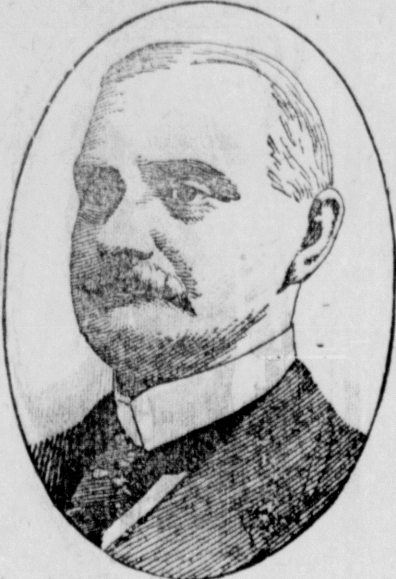
A. M. Robertson, seventy-five years old, who served in Bates' infantry during the civil war, died at the Confederate home at Austin.

RYAN RETIRES.

Will Assist In Solving Traction Railway Problem.

New York, Oct. 17.—Thomas F. Ryan, one of the chief figures in the local traction field, is to retire from further participation in the traction affairs according to stories published in the press. Recent conferences between Ryan and August Belmont, presumably regarding the pending invention of traction affairs by the public service committee, have given life to the reports of Mr. Ryan's retirement.

Mr. Ryan, it is expected, will retire voluntarily, and in doing so will lend his influence, so far as he is able, to



THOMAS F. RYAN.

the solution of the problem which the traction managers are facing. It has been for some time his intention to withdraw from the management of various enterprises and it is stated, the opinion of his associates in the Interborough-Metropolitan and its allied corporations that such a withdrawal would be opportune in the present crisis.

CARNEGIE CHAMPION.

Praises In Scotland the Negroes of His Adopted Land.

Edinburgh, Oct. 17.—Andrew Carnegie, in an address at the Philosophical institute, appeared as the champion of the negro race in the United States. He treated their development from slaves to citizenship, the gradual decrease of illiteracy among them and participation in church affairs, and told of their enormous expenditures of money for churches and schools. Mr. Carnegie contended the negro is a saving man, and repudiated the idea that the negro was lazy. The negro, he said, is becoming of immense economic value and is indispensable. Mr. Carnegie admitted, however, the negro problem is still unsolved.

Lord Rosebery, who spoke on the same question, said he doubted the wisdom of enfranchising negroes. Ninety per cent of them, he believed, were illiterate when they were enfranchised, and on Mr. Carnegie's showing 40 per cent of them are still so. It seemed to him that a period of tutelage might have been wisely imposed.

Lord Rosebery said things were sometimes done under high and generous impulses which were afterward regretted. He was inclined to think there are some persons in America who regretted suffrage had been given the negroes.

Speaking of the amalgamation of the races in the United States Lord Rosebery said: "The United States is the great crucible in which metals of every race and nation under the sun are being melted. Will this result in the production of a perfect man in the future or in an entirely new type of hitherto unknown anthropologists, which will be subject to a study by older races? We in a quasi-paternal position look forward to the development experiment with almost breathless expectancy."

STRUCK DOWN AT DOOR.

Thugs Manage to Secure From Man Five Hundred Dollars.

Washington, Pa., Oct. 17.—Returning home from his store, Byron Braden, a grocer, was brutally assaulted in front of his home by two negroes. The thugs got away with \$500. Mr. Braden carried home from the store all the receipts from the day's sales, the greater part of which was in bills.

Braden met the negroes, one of whom he thought he recognized, in front of his residence. He was about to step on the porch, when was struck on the back of the head. He was rendered unconscious, and was found later by his wife. He soon rallied and discovered his loss.

FIVE MEN DOWN.

Fatalities Are Due to the Overturning of a Scow.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Five men were drowned by the overturning of a scow in the Illinois and Michigan canal near Joliet, Ill. The men were employed by the Channahon Power company which is building an electric power plant at the junction of the Des Plaines and Kankakee rivers. Twenty-three men were in the scow, and some of these had narrow escapes from drowning.

Sweet Marie Defeats Major Delmar.

Allentown, Pa., Oct. 17.—In a mile race here Sweet Marie (2:02) defeated Major Delmar (1:59 3/4) in two straight heats in 2:10 and 2:08. This establishes a trotting race record for a half mile track. George G. (2:05 1/4) also gave the Allentown half-mile track a new trotting record, making the mile in 2:06 3/4, paced by a runner.

TERRIFIC STORM.

Does Great Damage In Southern Europe.

Paris, Oct. 17.—The whole of southern Europe was in the grasp of a tremendous storm, accompanied by torrential rains, Wednesday. This, coming on the heels of the unprecedented rainfalls and floods of the past few weeks, is causing great distress. The storm area extended from Morocco northward over Portugal, Spain and southern France. Warships off the African coast and the Spanish peninsula were obliged to seek shelter. The French torpedo gunboat Cassino lost her propeller while making port during the gale. The village of Olet, near Barcelona, is described as being a raging torrent, and as constantly claiming new victims.

The city of Saint Sebastian, in the north of Spain, has been ravaged by a violent hurricane, which tore up trees and telegraph poles and blocked every railroad track. Telegraphic communication between Madrid and Saint Sebastian is interrupted.

The recently flooded rivers in the south of France are again rising, and many houses weakened by the previous inundations, are falling.

In the department of Savoie a great overhanging cliff of 800,000 cubic meters is reported to be moving, and in imminent danger of toppling over and crushing the village of Tomery, 1,000 feet below.

A dispatch from Brest says that a tempest is raging off the coast, and that several fishing smacks have been capsized and their crews drowned.

The storm compelled a Portuguese squadron to seek refuge in the harbor of Lisbon, and while making the port the torpedo boat Lacer collided with a gunboat, resulting in fatal injuries to the commander of the Lacer.

DUE TO HOT BOX.

To This Cause Is Attributed the Powder Explosion.

Pontian, Ind., Oct. 17.—Thirty-eight lives snuffed out, 600 injured, of which fifty were seriously hurt, and a property loss of approximately \$150,000 is the estimate of the destruction wrought by the explosion at the T. & P. powder mills. From a workshop employed in the glazing mills it was learned that a "hot box" which was caused by too much friction on the shafting caused sparks to be transmitted to some loose powder, was, in all probability, the cause of the terrible catastrophe. The employee, whose name is William Sherrow, and who is dangerously wounded as the result of the explosion, said:

"The explosion was caused by hot boxing on the shaft. The day before this terrible explosion happened we had to throw water on it when it became too hot and sent off these sparks that caused the explosion."

ARCHBISHOP BILL PASSES.

Provides, However, For the Election of the Presiding Bishop.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 17.—The Episcopal convention, by an overwhelming vote, passed the so-called archbishop bill, which, however, is only for the election of a presiding bishop of the church, who will be paid and controlled by the general convention, and will serve until he becomes seventy years of age. This bishop can only be selected from those presiding over dioceses of the United States.

The most earnest opponent of the bill was the Rev. Dr. Grosvenor of New York, who made a brilliant speech. Dr. Grosvenor contended that the election of a presiding bishop, rather than by giving the honor to the senior bishop of the church was following the example of the Church of Rome and placing a pope over the American church.

He said that it was the most dangerous precedent that had ever been proposed in the church, and that it was nothing in the world but a move toward centralization.

The vote was taken by orders, and resulted in 56 to 6 in the clergy and 47 to 9 in the laity.

The next triennial convention will be held at Cincinnati.

The house of deputies passed a resolution that any Christian person, approved by the bishop of the diocese, may fill a pulpit.

Remains In Kansas District.

Guthrie, Oct. 17.—Oklahoma will remain in the internal revenue district of Kansas after statehood, so says word received from Washington Wednesday. It was planned to give Arkansas jurisdiction, for many purposes, but Senators Long and Curtis protested against the new state being given over to "Democratic" Arkansas, to the detriment of "Republican" Kansas.

Cherokee Nation Oil Situation.

Tulsa, I. T., Oct. 17.—On the John H. Baker place, in the Cherokee Nation, eight miles northeast of this city and in virgin territory, what may turn out to be another great oil field was discovered. The initial well, which was drilled by Mr. Baker, made a showing of 1,000 barrels.

Speed Test Successful.

Lewes, Del., Oct. 17.—News reached here that the standardizing or special test of the new battleship, Mississippi, was successfully made over the measured mile at the mouth of Delaware bay. Contract requirements called for seven seventeen knots speed.

Alabama Editor Dies.

Selma, Oct. 17.—E. B. Parker, for years editor of the Conebrake Herald at Uniontown, and until recently editor of the Selma Times, died in this city.

Dies From Amputation.

Manila, July 24.—Major Paymaster Eugene Coffin, whose arm was amputated a few days ago, died.

SOUL HOUSES.

One of the Queer Customs of the Ancient Egyptians.

Egyptian "soul" houses were curious edifices made probably between the tenth and twelfth dynasties—that is, about 3000 and 3300 B. C. The same principle that caused the warrior's steed to be slain on his grave seems to have actuated the early Egyptians when they built a house for the dead man's soul.

The beginning of the custom was that a mat was laid on the grave, with a pan of food upon it. Afterward this offering was carved in stone as a table of offerings to give permanent satisfaction for the soul. Then to the table was added a shelter copied from an Arab tent, and this gradually was elaborated. The shelter was placed on columns, a hut was put into this portico, chambers were copied, and finally appeared complete two story houses furnished with pottery models of couch, chair, stool, fireplace and the figure of a woman making bread.

The soul was conceived of as ascending from the grave through the ground and requiring shelter while feeding on its everlasting provision, and yet, though it ascended through the earth, it needed a staircase to go up to the upper floor, and the soul had a donkey, for which a manger was required.—Chicago News.

Ventilate Well.

An old writer says, "When men lived in houses of reed they had constitutions of oak; when they lived in houses of oak they had constitutions of reeds." This is a picturesque description of the injury which may come to us from fine houses too closely confined to keep out the fresh air and too heavily curtained, preventing the entrance of sunshine, which is almost if not quite as important as air. But it is not at all necessary to have our fine houses unhealthy, and it requires only intelligence and thoughtfulness to render a brick house as good a promoter of health as a cabin. Fresh air will come into well ventilated modern houses as well as through the open cracks of a house of reeds and sunlight through a window in a palace as well as a hovel.

The Discovery of Iron.

The stone age, bronze age and iron age so overlap one another it is impossible to say just when one begins or ends. Men began to use both bronze and iron long before stone had ceased to be used. In fact, America was in the stone age so late as its discovery by Columbus 400 years ago. It is safe to say that history proper and the iron age were born together anywhere from 8,000 to 10,000 years ago. It is more than likely that men gained their first information concerning the properties of iron through experiments with the pieces of it that had fallen from the sky in the shape of meteors.—New York American.

Energy.

Aubrey de Vere, an Irish poet and gentleman, mentions in his "Recollections" that when ten years old he had a tutor who constantly inculcated in him rectitude, purpose and energy.

The tutor's praise of energy was expressed by the saying:

"There are three letters of more value than all the rest in the alphabet—namely, N R G."

Headed Him Off.

"My wife," began Hicks, "dropped in to see me at the office today and—"

"Sorry, old man," interrupted Wicks, "but my wife held me up before I left home; I can't lend you a cent."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Destitute.

Hungry Hank—I feel sorry for the lady who lives in that mansion on de hill. She is absolutely destitute. Sauntering Saul—Destitute? Hungry Hank—Yes. Destitute uv generosity.—Exchange.

The Whole Show.

Visitor—And what is the special distinction of this theater? Actor—L. Fliegende Blatter.

A little neglect may breed great mischief.—Chesterfield.

EXPIRES ON STREET.

Consumptive From Boston Dies on His Way to Union Station.

Galveston, Oct. 17.—Edward H. Thomas, aged thirty-three years, whose home was at Boston, died suddenly on a street while en route from the Malory line shed to the union station. He was suffering from tuberculosis and was on his way to San Antonio for his health. The body will be sent back to Boston for interment. He is survived by a wife and son in that city.

For Sale

Fine lot of Black Land, well located. Apply to

MONROE EDGE
BRYAN, TEXAS

J. W. Batts

REAL ESTATE AGENT

Office in Taliaferro Building, Opposite Court House. Phone 37.

Have in office the ONLY set of Abstract Books of Brazos County Land Titles.

FOR SALE

Good five room residence in southeast part of town. Price \$1000.

M. H. JAMES

Pure Fresh Drugs

Accurate Prescription Work—Complete line of Toilet Articles

Three registered pharmacists. We invite your patronage for everything in the drug line.

M. H. James

1873 - 1907

THIRTY-FOUR YEARS' REPUTATION

STANDS AS A GUARANTEE OF THE QUALITY OF ALL

LIQUORS

— SOLD BY —

E. ROHDE

Long experience, during which a careful selection of the best brands have been made, enables me to offer my patrons a choice assortment of Whiskies, Brandies, Wines, etc. Phone 70. E. ROHDE



Made of the very best long staple, high grade cotton. Will not get lumpy. Tick can be removed and washed. Guaranteed in every particular. For sale by

JAMES & NUNN

SICK ROOM SUPPLIES

If there is sickness in the family—it comes sooner or later in every home—come and talk over with us about supplies which makes the suffering more bearable and aids in recovery. Our store is headquarters for sick room necessities and luxuries.

PRICES RIGHT TOO



DALLAS FAIR

Rates

via the

H. & T. C.

\$5.95—On sale only Oct. 18th to and including trains arriving at Dallas, morning of Nov. 3rd; limit, Nov. 4th.

\$3.60—On sale for trains arriving Dallas, p. m. of Nov. 2nd and a. m. of Nov. 3rd; limit, Nov. 4th.

C. K. DUNLAP, Traffic Manager, Houston, Texas. M. L. ROBBINS, Gen. Pass. Agent, Houston, Texas.

V. B. HUDSON, Bryan, Texas. W. W. WILSON, Franklin, Texas.

Hudson & Wilson

Attorneys-at Law

Bryan and Franklin, Texas

Will practice in county; State and Federal Courts. Special attention to business in Brazos and Robertson counties.

FOR SALE.

1476 acres of land in the Moses Hughes survey, near Edge. Price and terms reasonable.

Roger Boyle place, two blocks from Main street, on west side, price, \$1,800.

For Rent or Sale,

Half acre of land with improvements, one block east of my home.

Two small farms adjoining each other, consisting of 50 and 40 acres respectively; each in cultivation and well improved; situated three miles west of Bryan, on Sandy Point road.

V. B. HUDSON.

CUY M. BOARD

Public Stenographer

Office with V. B. Hudson

Phone 292. Bryan, Texas

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

M. H. JAMES.